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## 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday Promotes Railroad Day

## Mapping of the Boiler Begins



Gerard Roy (left) along with Howard Raphaelson manned the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday table on main St in Willimantic, CT. They were promoting both Railroad Day and visiting the railroad museum. (Jean Lambert Photo)



The mapping of the boiler on Steam Locomotive Number 10 has begun. Shown here owner Joe Pagano works on the boiler. Behind him Bill Voorvaart can be see assisting Joe. Photo by Jean Lambert)

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### MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

- 10/6/2013 – Monthly Business Meeting – 7:00PM - Windham Memorial Hospital
- 10/12/2013 – Night Photo Shoot – Details Inside
- 10/13/2013 – Mass Bay RRE Willimantic Special Coming to Willimantic – Details Coming
- 10/20/2013 – Monthly Membership Meeting – 7:00PM – Windham memorial Hospital
- 09/28/2013 – 10/28/2013 Walktober 2013 – Please visit [thelastgreenvalley.org](http://thelastgreenvalley.org)
- 11/3/2013 - Monthly Business Meeting – 7:00PM – Windham Memorial Hospital
- 11/3/2013 – Fall Train Show – Details Coming
- 11/17/2003 – Monthly Membership Meeting – 7:00PM Windham Memorial Hospital



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Monthly Membership meeting of the Connecticut Eastern Chapter, National Railway Historical Society is scheduled

**Sunday, October 20, 2013 @ 7:00 PM**

**Windham Memorial Hospital – Please join us at this meeting. Please note! If you have photos, short articles, or just want to make a comment – please forward them to: Robert A. LaMay - Editor @cermf19@comcast.net**

### Help Needed For Train Show

We are looking for volunteers who like working with people and model trains. If interested in helping out at the Fall Train Show on November 3, 2013 please contact editor of Ghost Train Journal.

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[www.cteastrrmuseum.org](http://www.cteastrrmuseum.org)



Steve Melady shown here working hard at the Fair. (Jean Lambert Photo)



Steve Melady discusses the many tools he uses while blacksmithing. He met many people while demonstrating his blacksmith skills while at the Lebanon Fair. ( Jean Lambert Photo)



While visiting the Hebron Harvest Fair, Chapter Vice President played for the crowds. (Jean Lambert Photo)

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Art Hall, Jr in the foreground and Andy Fischer in the background work on the new passing siding being constructed at the museum. (Jean Lambert Photo)



Rich Cizik, a veteran Blacksmith shows off his skills during the Brooklyn Fair at Brooklyn, CT. When ever there is a blacksmith event at the museum, Rich can be seen there on a regular basis. (Jean Lambert Photo)



Don't forget 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Night Photo Shoot – Saturday October 12, 2013 – New Layouts Planned! See Details Previous Ghost Train Journal. (Robert A. LaMay Photo)



Waiting for a train during Railroad Day at the Museum. (Robert A. LaMay Photo)

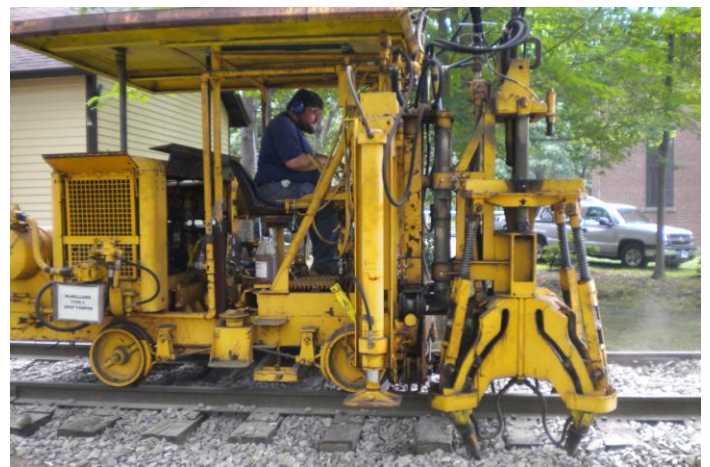
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During Railroad Day the Railbus was brought out for display. While sitting on the turntable, Howard Raphaelson (left) and Jim Poor (right) get a closer look at the under-carriage of the rail bus. (Robert A. LaMay Photo)



This photo shows Rich Cizik operating the Spot Tamper along the track in front of Willimantic Section-house near the Columbia Jct. Round-house. (Jean Lambert Photo)



A nice new looking sign has been made for the Chaplin Line Shanty at the museum. (Jean Lambert Photo)



When not volunteering at the museum, Art Hall, Jr. on left and Rolf Johnson hang onto the 'Armstrong Arms' of the turntable. (Jean Lambert Photo)



We thank the P&W Railroad for sending their Hi-Rail Bridge Crane Truck to Railroad Day. (Robert A. LaMay Photo)